IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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RECEPTION DEVICE, TRANSMISSION DEVICE, SECURITY MODULE, AND DIGITAL RIGHT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM Mail Stop: AF

RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR116

EXPEDITE PROCEDURE

EXAMINING GROUP 3600

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of December 9, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows: